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Hon. Cheryl L. Pollak
United States Magistrate Judge
United States District Court
Eastern District of New York
225 Cadman Plaza East
Brooklyn, New York 11201

Re: Moukengeschaie v. Eltman, Eltman & Cooper, PC, et al.
Docket No.: 14-cv-07539-MKB-CLP

Dear Magistrate Judge Pollak:

We write pursuant to Local Civil Rule 1.4 to request that the Court approve the withdrawal of Hinshaw & Culbertson LLP (and each of its attorneys) as counsel of record for Defendant Eltman, Eltman & Cooper, PC ("Eltman"). Eltman has retained new counsel, Thomas Dominczyk of Maurice Wutscher LLP, who filed a notice of appearance in this action on February 8, 2018. (*See* ECF Doc. No. 128).

As Your Honor is aware, discovery in this action is in the early stages and a settlement conference is scheduled for March 8, 2018. As such, the substitution of counsel will not delay the action. Our firm is not asserting a retaining or charging lien. Enclosed is a proposed order granting our application to withdraw.

We thank Your Honor for his consideration of this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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